and recommend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God and my Body to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Executor & nothing doubting but at the General Judgment I shall receive the same ~~p~~ & by the Mighty power of God and as touching my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with. I give and dispose of in the form and manner following

Item. I give and bequeath unto my five Beloved Children — Thomas. Joseph. Francis. Elizabeth. Mary, my now dwelling plantation known by the name of Brough also one other Plantation known by the name of White are to be equally devided between my five beloved Children before named according to Quantity and Quality to them and their forever *

Item. I give and Bequeath unto my Before named five beloved Children all my Household goods and furniture together with all my Stock of Cattle horses hogs and sheep to be equally devided amongst them and if any of my five beloved Children before Named shall dey without Heir their their part to be equally devided amongst the Longest Survivors

Lastly I Constitute appoint — ordain my dear and Loving Wife Appalonia and my beloved daughter Elizabeth Reswick whole and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament & I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disanull all and every other former Wills Testaments Legacies and Bequests & Ex.rs by me in any wise before named Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the day and year before written

Signed Sealed published and delivered by the said John Reswick as his Last Will and Testament — In presence of

Bennett Hopewell
Edward Spink
Joshua Sipsell
his mark

John Reswick
John R his name

(St. Marys)

* And if any of my before named Children shall dey without their Heir their part to be equally devided amongst the Survivors to their and their Heirs for ever

St. Marys County ss. March 5th 1767. Came Appolonia Reswick Executrix of John Reswick and Solemnly made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the within is the only True last Will and Testament of John Reswick that hath come to her Hands possession or Knowledge

Sworn before Saml. Abell Jun.r Dep.y Comm.r

St. Marys County ss. March 5. 1767. Came Bennett Hopewell and Edward Spink two of the Subscribing witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of John Reswick late of the County aforesd. deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they did see the said John Reswick the Testator therein named sign and seal this Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of perfect sence and sound and disposing Mind Memory and Understanding and that they respectively subscribed their names as witnesses to the said Will in the presence and at the request of the aforesd. Testator and that they did see each other Together with Joshua Sipsell the other subscribing witness subscribe their names thereto as Evidences

Examined

Sworn before Saml. Abell Jun.r Dep.y Comm.r

In the Name of God Amen I Luke Norris of St. Marys County being Sick and weak of Body but of perfect mind and memory Thanks be to God therefore calling to mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following first Recomend my Soul to God and my Body to the Earth to be decently buried by my Executors hereafter mentioned

Item I give to my Son John Norris that of a Tract of Land called Wheatley Contentment beginning at a bounded white oak the first bound Trees of the Tract of Land thence S. 7. E. 30 perches to a red oak marked on 3 sides N.W. 32 perches to white oak marked 2 sides S. 60. E. 60 perches to a red oak marked on 2 sides S. 62 perches to a Spanish oak thence with a straight Line to the first Beginning Containing Twenty five

(Acres)